(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (d) The Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) launched in 2003 envisages *inter alia* to set up AIIMS-like institution each in the State of Bihar (Patna), Chhattisgarh (Raipur), Madhya Pradesh (Bhopal), Orissa (Bhubaneshwar), Rajasthan (Jodhpur) and Uttaranchal (Rishikesh). The PMSSY Scheme has been cleared by the Expenditure Finance Committee and Committee of Secretaries (COS) and is being processed for placing before Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) for approval. Pending necessary approval, Startup activities like construction of boundary wall where and land is available, the process for selection of Project Consultant for providing comprehensive consultancy services and selection of arhitectural concepts/designs for all the six AIIMS like institutions have been taken up. The Government of Bihar has agreed to make available 100 acres of land for setting up AIIMS, Patna. The requisite 100 acres of land is yet to be handed over to Government of India and the matters is being pursued with Government of Bihar.

Steroids in ayurvedic medicines

682. SHRI A. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the study initiated by National Pharmaco Vigilance Centre of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences during 2000-2002, reported that more than 25 per cent of non-allopathic drug examined by it tested positive of steroids in the ayuverdic group;

(b) if so, the number of such complaints received on drug adulterations of alternative medicines including ayurvedic group as on today, for last three years, year-wise, State-wise and category-wise;

(c) if so, the details including number of cases registered against such drug adulterations for the last three years, year-wise, State-wise and category-wise.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (c) According to the information provided by the Department of Pharmacology, All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS), New Delhi,

406 Ayurveda Siddha, Unani & Homoeopathy drug samples recieved from the Consultants of AIIMS were tested for presence of steroid during the period 2000-2005 of which 104 tested positive. However, the information regarding the source, dose and schedule of these medications have not been made available for taking necessary action against those responsible for either manufacturing or dispensing of these medicines. AIIMS, New Delhi and the Zonal Centres under National Pharmaco Vigilance Programme have been asked to share this information with the Drug Controller General of India and State Drug Controllers for necessary action against the dilinquent manufacturers, dispensers.

Railway sidings to industrial units

683. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to encourage railway siding to industrial units for smooth movement of their products by containers;

(b) if so, the details thereof, and

(c) what are the terms and conditions for provision of railway sidings?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Complaints relating to killing of sikh passengers

684. SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that several complaints were filed with GRP at Danapur Junction, Patna Junction and Patna Sahib during 31st October, 1984 and 4th November, 1984 relating to looting, physically assaulting, snatching of valuables and killing of passengers belonging to Sikh community travelling in trains in the wake of assassination of then Prime Minister Indira Gandhi;

(b) the details thereof, including the names and addresses of complainants in each case;